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Denali Training Fund Final Report

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Name of Organization: AVCP Regional Housing Authority

Name of Project: Apprentice Training Program

Reporting Period: Ending April 15, 2010

Contact Person: Glen Watson, Apprenticeship Training Coordinator

Contact Number: 907-543-4457

Email Address: glenw@avcphousing.org

Award Year:

2008

Award Number: 8-220

Original Amount Awarded:

\$123,648

Final Expenditures:

Certification: I certify that the information in this report is current, correct and true and in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement.

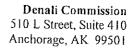
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- 1. A. In a few sentences, please describe the initial scope of your project. The purpose provided apprenticeship training in carpentry and other construction fields such as Basic entry Electrical, Plumbing and Carpentry.
- B. Did you modify the scope or the budget at any time during this project? No, on the grant portion; but AVCP RHA's portion was spent over the minimum required. If so, please explain. See below.
- 2. A. How many people did your original proposal intend to train? 32, but with a smaller number of BMRs with STEP Grant funds due to stipulations, but most BMRs were given OJT covered under AVCP Housing funds. AVCP was obligated to spend \$191,318 but we spent well over that amount for wages and support (per diem, travel, etc.).
- B. How many people did you ultimately train? 18. Please attach a final list of participants, their community, certification, and where they are employed. See attached. Not attached.
 - C. If there is a variance between original and final, please explain.





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- 1. A. In a few sentences, please describe the initial scope of your project. The purpose provided apprenticeship training in carpentry and other construction fields as entry level electrical and plumbing.
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- B. How many people did you ultimately train? 18. Please attach a final list of participants, their community, certification, and where they are employed. See attached.
- C. If there is a variance between original and final, please explain. Yes, for whatever reasons, the list of apprentices dropped down to 31 from 75. We are

concentrating BMR Apprentices to be trained where we have Development, Modernization and Weatherization projects in the AVCP Region.

3. Please tell us about lesson(s) learned during this project.

1. That without help and partnering with agencies and communities, the amount of hours for the BMR Apprentice will be longer.

2. The need for certified plumbers and electricians is in great need for the region.

4. Please provide a minimum of one success story for this project.

BMR Apprentice Alexie Kassel Jr. - Kasigluk has been promoted to Foreman with AVCP-RHA. Mr. Kassel has been in the AVCP-RHA BMR Apprentice Program since May 30, 2005 and graduated from the BMR Apprentice program in March 2010. Mr. Kassel has shown he has what it takes to show up on time, be ready to work. He has improved his observing, work and communication skills. He works well with others and is an inspiration to his fellow BMR Apprentices and workers. He is shown that he is an asset to AVCP-RHA.

5. Please attach a few photos with descriptive captions.



Photo by Glen Watson, Apprentice Program Coordinator, AVCP-RHA May 11, 2010. "Measure twice, chop once" Alexie Kassel Jr. explains to worker Glenn Moses the measuring of trim.